

## Message Text

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ACTION COME-00

INFO OCT-01 AF-10 ISO-00 EB-08 /019 W  
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P 270728Z JAN 78  
FM AMEMBASSY PRETORIA  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 303

UNCLAS PRETORIA 0490

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: BEXP, XJ  
SUBJ: AFRICAN COMMERCIAL OFFICERS CONFERENCEWC PANEL  
DISCUSSION LEADERS

REF: STATE 19945

ROSSI IS PREPARED TO SERVE AS DISCUSSION LEADER FOR PANEL ON  
"USE OF LOCALS IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES". HE WISHES  
MENTION, HOWEVER, THAT SOUTH AFRICA IS COMMERCIALY A  
DEVELOPED RATHER THAN DEVELOPING COUNTRY AND,  
PRETORIA EXPERIENCE NOT REALLY APPLICABLE. ROSSI WILL,  
THEREFORE, NEED TO DRAW ON HIS EXPERIENCE AT PREVIOUS  
AFRICAN POSTS. IF USE OF PRETORIA EXPERIENCE DESIRED, DEPT.  
MAY WANT TO CONSIDER DIFFERENT PANEL ASSIGNMENT. REALIZING  
PANEL ASSIGNMENTS MAY BE DIFFICULT TO CHANGE AT THIS STAGE,  
WILL ASSUME ORIGINAL ASSIGNMENT REMAINS UNLESS NOTIFIED  
TO CONTRARY.  
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